

# POCAHONTAS TIMES.

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## Official Directory of Pocahontas.

Judge of Circuit Court, A. N. Campbell.  
Prosecuting Attorney, L. M. McClintic.  
Sheriff, J. C. Arbogast.  
Deputy Sheriff, Robt. K. Burns.  
Clerk of the Court, S. L. Brown.  
Clerk of the Court, J. H. Patterson.  
Comptroller, C. O. Arbogast.  
Comptroller, G. E. Beard.  
Comptroller, G. M. Keen.  
Comptroller, Amos Barlow.  
Comptroller, Geo. P. Moore.  
Comptroller, Geo. P. Moore.  
Justices: A. O. L. Gatewood, Split Rock—Chas. Cook, Elray—W. H. Green, Huntersville—Jas. B. Taylor, Dunmore—D. B. Barry, Assisting—Thos. Bruffy, Lohite.

## THE COURTS.

Circuit Court convenes on the first Tuesday in April, 2nd Tuesday in June and 3rd Tuesday in October.  
County Court convenes on the 1st Tuesday in January, March, October and second Tuesday in July 2nd is levy term.

**N. C. McNEIL.**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW,  
Marlinton, W. Va.

Will practice in the Courts of Pocahontas and adjoining counties, and in the Court of Appeals of the State of West Virginia.

**L. M. McCLINTIC.**  
Attorney-at-Law,  
Marlinton, W. Va.

Will practice in the Courts of Pocahontas and adjoining counties, and in the Supreme Court of Appeals.

**H. S. RUCKER.**  
Attorney-at-Law & Notary Public,  
Huntersville, W. Va.

Will practice in the Courts of Pocahontas county and in the Supreme Court of Appeals.

**J. W. ARBUCKLE.**  
Attorney-at-Law,  
Lewisburg, W. Va.

Will practice in the Courts of Greenbrier and Pocahontas counties.  
Prompt attention given to claims for collection in Pocahontas county.

**W. A. BRATTON.**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW,  
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Prompt and careful attention given to all legal business.

**ANDREW PRICE.**  
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**D. O. J. CAMPBELL.**  
DENTIST,  
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Will visit Pocahontas County, at least, twice a year.  
The exact date of his visits will appear in this paper.

**D. J. R. WELMOUTH.**  
RESIDENT DENTIST,  
Beverly, W. Va.

Will visit Pocahontas County every Spring and Fall. The exact date of each visit will appear in THE TIMES.

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## LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

### Order of publication.

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA,  
COUNTY OF POCAHONTAS, to wit:  
At rules held in the Clerk's office of the circuit court of said county, on Monday, the 3rd day of September, 1894.

Levi Gay and J. P. Hawkins,  
Plaintiffs,  
vs.  
J. B. Lockridge, Anna Barlow,  
Henry Barlow, O. P. Sydneutrick,  
et al., Emma N. Warwick, First National Bank of Buena Vista,  
Bank of Roanokeville, J. C. Lowry, Sr., J. C. Lowry, Jr., and J. H. Doyle, partners trading and the firm name of Lowry & Doyle, Wm. Gibson, John Wirtz, W. T. Price and J. C. Price, Committee of James Price, Sr., John Andrew Leek, Bank of Lewisburg, Hugh Dever, J. M. Hardy and Hardy, partners trading under the firm name of J. M. Hardy & Son, First National Bank of Buena Vista, Virginia, John A. McNeel, and J. C. Arbogast, Sheriff of Pocahontas county, and as such Administrator of Hugh Adams deceased,  
Defendants.

The object of this suit is to enforce against the land of the defendant, J. B. Lockridge, the liens of the plaintiffs and defendant creditors of said J. B. Lockridge. And it appearing by affidavit filed, that the defendants, First National Bank of Buena Vista, J. M. Hardy and Hardy, First National Bank of Buena Vista, Virginia, and John A. McNeel are non-residents of the State of West Virginia, it is ordered that they do appear here within one month after the first publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

Witness: J. H. Patterson, Clerk of the said court, this 3rd day of September, 1894.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk  
W. A. BRATTON, Solicitor.

**Commissioner's sale.**

PURSUANT to an order of the County Court of Pocahontas county, made on the 12th day of July, 1894, in the matter of the old court house and jail and the land upon which they are situated at Huntersville, in this county. The undersigned Special Commissioner will proceed to sell on

Tuesday, October 16, 1894, in front of the court house of Pocahontas county, at public auction, to the highest bidder, the old court house and jail and the lots on which they are located, known as the Old Court House and Jail Lot, situated at Huntersville, in Pocahontas county, consisting of said sale the use of said jail, and a right of way over said court house lot to said jail, until the new jail at Marlinton is finished and accepted by the County Court. Said lots and buildings would make a desirable location for an academy or high school.

**TERMS OF SALE.**  
Enough cash in hand to pay expenses of sale, and the residue upon a credit of 6, 12, and 18 months, the purchaser giving bond with approved personal security for the deferred payments, bearing interest from date, and a lien to be retained until all the purchase money is paid.

L. M. McCLINTIC,  
Special Commissioner.

J. S. L. Brown, Clerk of the County Court of Pocahontas county, do hereby certify that the above named sale has been conducted as required by law.

J. S. L. BROWN, Clerk.

**NOTICE.**  
All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the firm of E. I. Holt, of Academy, West Virginia, will sell and settle at once at their accounts will be put for collection.

S. J. BROWN, Receiver.  
August 28, 1894.

For first-class job work come to the Times office.

## Commissioner's Sale.

PURSUANT to decrees of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas county rendered on 6th day of April, 1894, and on the 22nd day of June, 1894, in the chancery cause of M. J. McNeel vs. L. W. Herold, and others, the undersigned Special Commissioner will proceed to sell on

Tuesday, October 16th, 1894, in front of the court house door of Pocahontas county, at public auction, to the highest bidder, the one-half undivided interest of the defendant, L. W. Herold, in 120 acres of land situate in Pocahontas county, on the waters of Kuapa Creek, on the West side of the wagon road leading from Huntersville to Frost, being the same land conveyed to L. W. Herold and M. F. Herold by Andrew Herold, by deed dated April 1st, 1876, (Exhibit "L" of this court), 14 acres or more, of land situate in the village of Frost, in this county, composed of two adjoining parcels, one of which is the residue of a tract of land conveyed to the said L. W. Herold by Charles P. Jones, Commissioner, by deed dated April 9, 1890, after conveying 2 acres to H. F. Herold by deed dated April 10, 1890. And the other parcel contains 4 acres, and the title was conveyed from the late J. B. Hanna. The 120 acres of land is mostly in bluegrass soil, is fertile and fine grazing land. The 14 acres of land in Frost has upon it a commodious dwelling house, together with all necessary outbuildings, and is admirably suited for hotel purposes.

**TERMS OF SALE:**  
Enough cash in hand to pay the costs of suit and expenses of sale, and the residue upon a credit of 6 and 12 months, the purchaser giving bonds with approved personal security, for the deferred payments, bearing interest from date, and a lien to be retained until all the purchase money is paid.

L. M. McCLINTIC, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas county, do hereby certify that the Commissioners above have executed bond as required by law.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

**Commissioner's Sale of Land.**

BY virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas county, in the chancery cause of Thomas C. Malcomb vs. John N. Wanless, the undersigned commissioner will offer for sale, at public auction, in front of the Court House in Marlinton, West Virginia, on

Tuesday, October 16th, 1894, a tract of land belonging to John N. Wanless supposed to contain about

363 ACRES,

lying in District No. 1 of Pocahontas county, West Virginia, being the same land conveyed by Andrew Wanless and wife to said John N. Wanless as containing by estimation 363 acres, by deed dated the 26th day of June, 1878, of record in the clerk's office of the County Court of said county, at page 54 of Deed Book No. 15, except 30 acres, more or less, on the South of said 363 acres, which was purchased by Thomas R. Beverage as part of said 363 acres, at a judicial sale confirmed by decree of said County, at its April Term, 1893, in the chancery case of Matilda E. Wanless vs. John N. Wanless.

**TERMS:** Cash sufficient to pay the costs of suit and sale, and the residue of the purchase money falling due at 6 months from date of sale, the purchaser executing bond with good personal security for the deferred installment, and the title to be retained as ultimate security.

L. M. McCLINTIC,  
Special Commissioner.

State of West Virginia,  
County of Pocahontas, to wit:

J. H. Patterson, Clerk of Circuit Court of the above named County, do hereby certify that the above named land required of him in the decree under which he is acting.

Given under my hand this 16th day of September, 1894.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

## COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF LAND.

PURSUANT to decrees of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas county West Virginia, rendered on the 17th day of October, 1893, and on the 19th day of June, 1894, in the consolidated chancery causes of Witz, Biedler & Co. vs. Herold & Moore, and Greer & Loring vs. Herold & Moore, the undersigned Special Commissioner will proceed, in front of the court house of said county, on the 16th day of October, 1894, to sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder, the following lots or parcels of land.

First, an undivided one-half interest owned by M. F. Herold jointly with J. L. Herold in 150 acres of land on Knapp's Creek, 563 acres on the waters of Knapp's Creek, 10 acres on Mill Run, and 316 acres on Alleghany Mountain. Also, an undivided one-half interest with L. W. Herold in 120 acres on waters of Knapp's Creek.

Second, the one-half undivided interest of L. W. Herold in above mentioned 120 acres, and 132 acres owned by said L. W. Herold, on waters of Knapp's Creek.

Third, the one-half undivided interest of G. R. W. Elder in 80 acres and 95 acres on Knapp's Creek, and 80 acres on Alleghany Mountain, and 71 acres and 130 poles owned by the said G. R. W. Elder near the town of Frost.

These lands lie principally in a body in the Knapp's Creek bottoms are well watered and in a high state of cultivation, and that part thereof which lies on the mountain side is heavily timbered with pine and hard wood. The 95-acre tract of the Elder land has upon it a beautiful dwelling and convenient outbuildings, and the 120-acre tract of the Herold lands has also a fine dwelling beautifully situated, with barn and other outbuildings. The title to all these lands is considered good.

**TERMS OF SALE.**  
So much cash in hand as will pay costs of suits and expenses of sale, and for the residue the purchaser will be required to execute bonds with good personal security, bearing interest from day of sale, and falling due in six, twelve, and eighteen months from said date. A lien will also be retained as ultimate security.

N. C. McNEIL, Special Commissioner.

J. H. Patterson, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas county, do hereby certify that bond, as required by law, has been filed with me by the above Special Commissioners.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

**Order of publication.**

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA,  
COUNTY OF POCAHONTAS, to wit:

At rules held in the clerk's office of the circuit court of said county, on Monday, the third day of September, 1894.

Uri H. Heverner, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
H. A. Yeager, B. M. Yeager, R. S. Turk, A. F. Mathews, B. M. McAllister, J. R. England, R. M. Yeager, Trustees, Eula J. Cunningham, and Walter H. Yeager, W. E. Yeager, Maud S. Yeager, Paris D. Yeager, and Sallie Yeager, Defendants.

The object of this suit is to have the plaintiff substitute to the rights of the defendant, A. F. Mathews, in the judgment obtained by said Mathews against H. A. Yeager and plaintiff as his security, in the circuit court of Greenbrier county for \$201.69 and \$10.81 costs at the November term of said court, 1890, and to have the deed of trust given by said H. A. Yeager to B. M. Yeager, trustee to secure said Mathews debt, enforced for the plaintiff benefit, and to subject to sale the interest of said H. A. Yeager in the estate of which B. M. Yeager died seized. And it appearing by affidavit filed that B. S. Turk, J. E. England, Wm. McAllister, and Walter H. Yeager are non-residents of this state, it is ordered that they do appear here within one month after the first publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

Witness: J. H. Patterson, clerk of said circuit court, this 3rd day of September, 1894.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

**Notice.**  
The second and last examination for the teachers of Pocahontas county will be held at Hillsboro, Sept. 26 and 27. J. L. BARLOW, County Superintendent.

Edway, W. Va., September 10, 1894.

For terms offer for good job work.

## Commissioner's Sale.

BY virtue of a decree entered in the Circuit Court of R. S. Turk, Commissioner, vs. B. M. Yeager, et al., pending in the Circuit Court of Pocahontas county, West Virginia, at the April Term, 1894, of said court, the undersigned special commissioner, will proceed on Tuesday, the sixteenth day of October, 1894, in front of the Court House door of said county, to sell publicly, to the highest bidder, the following tracts of land, lying in said county, to wit: 40 acres lying on the West side of Buffalo mountain; 80 acres on said Buffalo mountain; 184 acres, and 14 acres, lying on Alleghany mountain; which formerly belonged to William G. Gilkeson, and lay close to or adjoining the old Yeager place on Alleghany mountain. There are some improvements on these lands which make them quite valuable.

**TERMS OF SALE:** A credit of six and twelve months will be given the purchaser, except as to so much cash in hand as will pay the costs of suit and sale; the purchaser to execute bonds for the deferred payments, bearing interest from date, with approved personal security, a lien to be retained until all the purchase money is paid.

For further information inquire of R. S. Turk, Staunton, Virginia.

R. S. TURK,  
Special Commissioner.

State of WEST VIRGINIA,  
County of POCAHONTAS to wit:

J. H. Patterson, Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county above said, do hereby certify that the above named Commissioner has given the bond required of him in the decree under which he is acting.

Given under my hand this 10th day of September, 1894.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

**Trustee's Sale of Land.**

By virtue of a deed of trust executed to Isaac McNeel, trustee, by James W. Jordin and Fannie C. Jordin, his wife, dated on the 26th day of December, 1892, and recorded in the Clerk's office of the County Court of Pocahontas county, West Virginia, in Deed Book No. 23, page 290, to secure the payment of a certain bond, fully mentioned and described therein, and default having been made in the payment thereof and being required so to do by C. R. Moore, assignee of said bond, Isaac McNeel, will on the 16th day of October, 1894, commencing at 1 o'clock, P. M., at the front door of the court house of said Pocahontas county, West Virginia, proceed to sell, by way of public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, the property conveyed by said deed of trust or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said indebtedness. Said real estate lying and being in the county of Pocahontas, State of West Virginia, and in the Little Levels district, and described therein as two tracts of land, one containing 48 acres, on which the grantors reside, excepting therefrom 2 acres thereof conveyed to Fenton A. Chapman by deed of record in the Clerk's office of the County Court of said county, at page 188 of Deed Book No. 23, by said grantors. Also, one acre conveyed by same to same by deed recorded in said Clerk's office at page 337 of Deed Book No. 22, and 5 acres conveyed by same to T. C. Woodhill, by deed recorded in said Clerk's office at page 102 of Deed Book No. 22, and the other tract conveyed containing 30 acres, both of which tracts of 48 acres and 30 acres being the same described in a deed of partition dated January 24th, 1870, and of record in said Clerk's office at page 73 of Deed Book 12.

ISAAC McNEEL, Trustee.

N. C. McNEIL, A. Y.

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A big catfish weighing 16 pounds was caught in the Green-brier, near the mouth of Stamping creek. Its head was as big as a man's.

Col. St. Clair will speak at our next October court day. As an orator he is second to none in West Virginia.

Abel Shinnbery, Esq., of Clover Creek, is said to have potatoes so large that they have to be cut in two, to be cooked.

Mr. J. H. G. Wilson's mare won the chief race at the Mingo races, which was the 1 mile race. The other big race was a mile run, but was too long to be won by his mare.

Capt. McNeel of Academy has on his place a fine lot of Tennessee marble. Some that has been polished by marble cutters appears fully as fine, when compared, as pieces of Tennessee marble of acknowledged superiority.

Married on Swago September 25th, by Wm. T. Price, Mr. Frank Thompson and Miss Anna T. Armstrong, daughter of Mrs. Catherine Armstrong, all of Pocahontas County.

On last Monday morning the family of Mr. George M. Koe was aroused by the alarm of fire about 4 o'clock. By prompt measures the flames were quenched, and the home saved from the ashes. The fire started from a stove pipe.

Sandy Aldridge a 14 yr. old boy, of Mill Point was hurt while playing in Hogsett's flouring mill, last week. He, with several other boys was jumping over a band, and he was struck. He was unconscious for a long time.

The difference between this country and East Virginia, "said a local wit the other day," is that there they eat what they can't sell, and here they sell what they can't eat." The farmers of Pocahontas are never the worse for this, but those that think that rancid butter to the county seat are entering the rule too far.

By the way, there is not a school house in the county that is ventilated properly. The rooms are built so that cold air can come in at the bottom making a fire necessary while they are cooled at the top so tight that water could not penetrate. This causes the school houses to all have that "same old smell" that lingers in the memory of every country schoolboy.

Pocahontas has perhaps the youngest married people in our state. A couple was recently married, the groom was fifteen and the bride sixteen. After a brief honeymoon they settled down to business and are making a good living, with such life will be real, and in deep earnest.

An amusing incident occurred recently. As a wedding procession was tooling along at the rate of about twelve miles an hour, with the happy couple leading, they passed a little girl who was waiting to throw rice at them, in the goodness of her heart; just as the horse of the bridal chariot came up he was nearly scared into fits by the shower of rice and dodged it very nimbly, making a first class shy off. The groom shouted "old Joe!" and he had his oats thrown at him.

Bertram Earnshaw, Esq., met with a terrific fall while riding R. W. C. Hales, Esq.'s horse "Harkaway" in the Mingo Races, last Friday, while turning the bottom corner his saddle slipped clean round, causing the accident. Dr. Cameron was fortunately on the ground, and no time was lost in removing him to A. D. Bruce Esq.'s home.

He is well known among the sporting circles of Mingo Plate, as a first class amateur jockey, both over hurdles and on the flat, and has caught the judges eye on numerous occasions.

We all wish him a very speedy recovery, and hope that we may soon see him in the plucky again.

#### Church Notes.

Memorial service in memory of Mrs. Lillian B. Wagon will be held, a Protestant service, at the First Church on Sunday October 7, 1904, at 11 o'clock, a. m., conducted by Miss F. Moore.

#### "The Far West I"

In 1862, Mr. Geo. Aldridge who was one of a large family living on William's River, broke loose from the ties that bound him and went to Iowa to seek his future. He is visiting Pocahontas this month and comes back as a well-to-do, prosperous farmer. On going to the West, he first farmed on the shares getting one-third of the crop. He has bought land until he has a farm of 100 acres, each acre as level as a floor and as productive as any in Pocahontas. On his place he has a forty-acre field which has been in grain every year for twenty-two years, that he knows of, and he cannot tell how much longer. This year he raised 60 bushels of oats to the acre on it. The main revenue of the farmers of that part of Iowa is hops. Last year Mr. Aldridge sold twelve hops for \$348, the largest weighing over six hundred pounds. The largest hog was worth near \$40.

#### Truly Rural.

Mr. C. A. Yeager has some very big corn. Our stalk on exhibition was fourteen feet high, and up about as high as a man can reach, were two tremendously big ears. The stalk is one of a hill of three and is not out of proportion to the rest of the field.

Two of our original characters were engaged in digging potatoes the other day, putting them in a bag as they dug them. The result of the combination was that they burnt up the bag as they took a smoke, while discussing the relative virtues of a German life or a sen faring existence.

A bombardment was heard one night last week, and the next day an irate owner of a fine melon patch was searching for those who had stolen his melons. This is an old tale in this town of which the features are dark nights, guns, invisible thieves, profanity and melon patches.

Pat McLeary, at Addison, Va., is good at a hint. He called up his landlady, and said, "Have the horse in Webster county, no legs or fate?" "Why do you want to know that?" "By my faith, madam, I have only seen side saddle since I have been boarding wild ye, and I thought maybe the horse crawled like snakes! and I wish to remark that this country is healthy for chickens, for divil a dead one have I seen here." Pat got him and chickens at once.

#### "A Card."

Editor of Times: My attention was attracted by an article, in your last week's issue, over the misnomer of "Democrat." The writer of that card is a Republican, or else his Democracy is so badly warped, that it would take an expert to determine if it would pass for Democracy at all. And if "local issues have made it hard for many fair-minded people to follow party lines this year," those "many fair-minded people" must belong to the "West Side," for the Democracy of the East Side is willing to follow party lines, regardless of local questions, or the personnel of the ticket, and the only division that does or can exist, is upon Commissioner of County Court, (and it is to be regretted that this was not adjusted.) "West Side," "East Side," "Mag nanimity." Good Lord deliver us from sectional division and political magnanimity, and in thy good sense, so near and harden the conscience of any Democrat wishing to vote for a Republican candidate, that the memory of that vote may not trouble him in years to come. And the West Side sacrifice in 1892. What a pity it was never heard of until now.

Will Democrats please take the of local directory, as published in the Times, and see where the majority of them live and how they stand on the "U. H. question," and then tell us how much they gave up.

"The State and the next Legislature is safely Democratic, I think so, too, but don't bet your farm on it, brother, for there is many a slip, etc." And the only safe way is to elect Democrats.

Hoping that numerous feelings will pass away, sectional differences be forgotten, party lines remain intact, and that party success will be achieved by united and unswerving effort, I am another

MEMORIAL.

Filed in parts of the county on Tuesday morning and Wednesday morning, but no special damage.

#### Personal.

Miss Lucy Kinkaid, of Frankford will commence her school in Mr. Levi Galt's family, Oct the 1st.

John A. McNeel Esq., and family, of Rockbridge County have been visiting in Pocahontas.

Rev. Ballengee and wife, of Ronceverte, are in this county.

Dr. Newton Grainger, of Atlanta, Ga., is visiting at Mr. E. N. Moore's. Hon. John A. Preston after speaking at Academy last Saturday started for his home in Lewisburg about dark to ride the 31 miles before day light, in order to be present at a meeting of the congregation of the Lewisburg Presbyterian church on the next day, when that church was to choose a pastor from among three men.

J. Curry Skeen of Covington, was in Marlinton last week.

Dr. McClinton of Academy spent some time in Marlinton this week.

County clerk Brown coined several dollars last Monday from the marriage license department. Not very long since a gentleman procured "the papers" and the girl going back on him, he tried to sell "them" back to the clerk for 50 cts.

Mr. Kennie Hill was in town Monday. Mr. Hill is becoming known as a good contractor and builder.

#### Married.

At Clover Lick, on Wednesday, the 20th inst, Mr. Henry McNeel and Miss Eva Ligon. This was one of the prettiest weddings of the season. The party assembled at the hospitable home of Dr. Ligon on the evening before, where a magnificent reception was given. On the day following, the party repaired to the handsome church at Clover Lick, where the proper ones were made up by Rev. T. H. Lay, of the Diocese of Virginia, by means of the beautiful and impressive marriage ceremonies of the Episcopal Church. The church was tastefully decorated. The attendants were, Mr. Platt Marshall and Miss Annette Miron, Mr. W. A. Bratton and Miss Anna Ligon, Mr. Ed. Jackson and Miss Maggie McNeel, Mr. Jake Beard and Miss Mary McNeel, Mr. Alex. McNeel and Miss Rachel Beard, Mr. Richard Beard and Miss Nella Pritchard, Mr. Robert K. Adams and Miss Ottie Cackley, and Mr. Andrew Price and Miss Maggie Patterson. After the service the party drove to the home of the groom, where they were most hospitably entertained.

The bride is a daughter of Dr. Ligon, of Clover Lick, and is one of our most charming young ladies; the groom is a son of Capt. Wm. L. McNeel, of Academy, and is a most popular young man.

#### Mysterious Firing.

Last Sunday night, the neighborhood of Academy was alarmed by hearing the sounds of shots near Mr. Preston Clark's house. Ever since the robberies in that section, the people there have been very susceptible to "scares." The case last Sunday was about as follows: A negro named Arnold, living by Mr. Clark's, was frightened by some one knocking on his door. As he would give no satisfactory explanation, he would not let him in. He then shot at the dog, and Arnold began firing at him. Several shots were exchanged. Seventeen shots were fired in all.

#### The Ministers.

"Ministers are alright," said a man, the other day, "they are as good as anybody else, and we show our respect for them often in such a way that we fail to be cordial, and by thus appearing cold, make their work harder for them, when they try to do us good."

As good a joke as ever got into an editor's drawer, was got off in a late Conference meeting of the M. E. church South. A preacher, whose work lies in the Eldray and Haverhill Districts is a man of gigantic frame and his feet are not disproportionate. A brother told him at Conference that he could prove by the Bible that he was not called to preach, and to the contrary, he replied the verse "How beautiful are the feet of them who preach the Gospel."

#### A Startling Announcement.

Rev. W. T. Price, of Pocahontas county, predicts that the world will come to an end in 1915. He asserts it that the second coming of the New Lord will certainly be in that year. (Pocahontas County, (Albany, N. Y.).

The gentleman referred to is the father of the editor of this paper, and while he did say exactly what he said.

result above, the interesting statistics given by him in a late sermon, which led to the above report, will be given, shortly, in this paper.

#### Mingo Mince-meet.

It is a matter of deep regret that Mr. C. H. Fennell is seeking fresh fields and pastures new, and his presence will be much missed in the English Colony. This well-read gentleman is a veritable walking dictionary of information, and blessed will be the people amongst whom his lot is cast in the dim and distant future. Fare thee well, and God-speed, Charlie!

The champion jockey of Pocahontas county is Yorkshire born and bred, and, consequently, when he gets his back against a fence, he can talk about "horse! horse! horse!" for four mortal hours, and even then he does not feel tired. He rejoices in the euphonic name of Fred Hainetock, and his quaint dialectic sayings and repartees should be heard to be appreciated. He is in the employ of Mr. Hebdon, at whose homestead the visitor will be greeted with a cheery welcome of "Has to seen t' pa-pers?" followed by a graphic and minute description of how Fred Taral won the Brooklyn Handicap, or some such such exciting event. Our only Fred is a beauty, and adds a dash of spice to our somewhat monotonous life.

A fresh arrival from England is Mr. E. Brooke-Hunt, who is a fine sample of a Jolly John Bull in knee-breeches and gaiters (*cetera pars dire!*) He is keeping his weather eye open for a standard-bred horse, which will be up to his burly weight. When he finds the requisite article, you may bet your bottom dollar you will find him in the first flight of the gay, galloping horsemen.

Tommy Tompkins, a recently imported *chefe-d'en-cuisine*, came within an ace of a violent death. On Sunday, as is his wont, he went off sparring, along with kindred spirits. No saddle being obtainable, nothing daunted, T. T. bestraddled a donkey bare-backed, (the same T. T. never before having crossed anything except the broad Atlantic Ocean, be it observed!) but the hearty experience of his friends caused him to lose his equilibrium, kissing mother earth harder than he intended, he rolled several hundred feet down a boiling and turbulent river at the bottom, from which he was ignominiously fished out with a boat-hook—a wiser and a sadder man! He is recovering slowly but surely!

Two of our youngsters, (the Brothers H.) are keen, though wash-ball seated, riders, especially when it comes to leaping over four feet of timber. Mr. B. B. Earnshaw, having observed this too common failing with his eagle eye, has most kindly and considerately taken them in hand, with a view to instilling closer adhesion to the pig-skins. We earnestly hope that their ambition and lack of fear in riding, combined with their tutor's excellent *manage*, may save them from disgracing their hard-riding ancestors of the Old Country. "Sit back and let her come at it, man!"

OLD NICK.

#### Dille's Mill.

Threshing is a thing of the past. Hugh Grimes finished last Thursday, and stored his threshing machine away until another year.

J. W. Grimes and C. K. Moore went to Marlinton, last Saturday, on business.

John Francis, Esq., spent one night with his friends of this place, on his way to visit his aunt and other friends at Beverly.

The Sunday School at Mt. Zion will close September 30th.

Preaching by Rev. Fuitt, at Mt. Zion, October 1th.

Professor George E. Moore commences his school at Mt. Taber, September 24th.

Some of the Frost boys still practice the habit of going to mill on Sunday.

Miss Florence Hively expects to teach school at Brandy Run this winter.

Miss Emma Taylor, of Danmore, was visiting Mrs. Margaret Grimes last week.

B. C. Shubert has his new home near done, and expects to occupy the same soon. Then keep your eye on the g-ghid!

Sept. 29, 1894. ARTHUR LARSEN.

#### Loebelia.

J. E. Peck, an under-graduate of the Summersville School, left last week to teach school on Locust Creek.

George Williams, Esq., is rapidly pushing his new house to completion.

Rev. W. S. Anderson left last Saturday for Randolph-Macon College. He is looking forward to taking the degree of A. B., and then he will return to see his betsey.

Some few days ago, two of our neighborhood boys, Eagle and Vaughn, went out to Cherry River on a fishing trip. They returned with fishermen's luck, stating that the river is lower than has ever been known; and what few trout they caught were in the deepest holes in the Glades. They say they enjoyed camping out under the shadows of the spruce pine and listening to the noise of the host-owl, as it cried "w-h-o-a-r-e-y-o-u," better than paddling in the water after something they could not get. Their return trip was kept from being lonesome by the chatter of the many mountain loons, which infest one when in the woods in these parts.

Sept. 10, 1894. W. VA. ROVER.

#### Dilleys Mill.

Cutting Corn and sowing in order now, corn in places very good owing to the continued dry weather. Cane will be next in order owing to the scarcity of fruit there was quite an interest in the sugar plant.

Mr. Uriah Bird was in this place last week.

Mr. J. W. Grimes, while plowing had his foot become unmanageable and ran away, fortunately no damage only one horse bruised some.

Quite a crop of chestnuts and oak mast.

Prof. G. E. Moore commenced school at Mt. Taber, 24 inst. Mt. Zion Sunday school will close Sept. 30th, young people have taken quite an interest in Sunday school, and have learned many precious truths.

Prof. Moore will sing at Mt. Zion at the close of Sunday School.

Wonder if "Iron Sides" knows who he is. He had best go to bed and stay until Greenbrier River freezes over and then come out and go to Marlinton and sit on a cake of good ice, and cool his brains, i. e., if he has any. Read his writings through and through, and the casual observer will at once conclude that a wooden man with a pumpkin head, could write more sense. The inspired penman has very applicably said "Answar not a fool according to his folly."

"ANONYMOUS."

#### Dunmore.

Cool and frosty Monday night. Get on a little more kiver, put up your stoves, pick chestnuts when they fall, make cider when you have apples.

Mrs. S. C. Pritchard, who has been visiting the springs in Virginia for a month or two, returned home Saturday.

Mr. William Pritchard is home to see his friends.

Miss Cora Pritchard, who spent the summer here and drank the fine water, returned to her home in Staunton, Va., this week.

Miss Ottie Cackley and Mayor Stonewall Jackson are up from Ronceverte.

Mr. Skaggs, 90 years old, of Webster county, is visiting at Clover Lick.

Some one burned up a house for Mr. Uriah Hovener, on Clover Creek, one day last week.

We had the pleasure of listening to a very able sermon delivered by Bishop Paterlin, on Sunday morning, at Clover Lick, and a very interesting lecture by Rev. J. N. Craig, of Atlanta, Georgia, at Danmore, Sunday evening.

We understand that Mr. William Smith has bought land near town, and will move to this place.

Capt. Lakin caught 31 fine bass Saturday, all out of our hole.

Mrs. A. N. Moore is visiting at Haverhill.

Julius C. F. Moore returned to Clifton Forge, Monday.

"The Adulteress" in the Herald, last week, had Teter's cat, and Teter's cat is the only thing that got out the D—!

THE HAVES.

Times office for job work.

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## Official Directory of Pocahontas.

Judge of Circuit Court, A. N. Campbell.  
Prosecuting Attorney, L. M. McClintic.  
Sheriff, J. C. Arbogast.  
Deputy Sheriff, Robt. K. Barnes.  
Tax Co. Clerk, S. L. Brown.  
City Court, J. H. Patterson.  
Assessor, C. O. Arbogast.  
Com. & Co. Cl., C. E. Beard.  
D. O. Koo, (Amos Barlow).  
Con. Surveyor, Geo. Baxter.  
Coroner, Geo. P. Moore.  
Justices: A. C. L. Gatewood, Split Rock—Chas. Cook, Elray—W. H. Grose, Huntersville—Jno R Taylor, Dumore—O. R. Curry, Academy—Thos Bruffy, Lobelia.

## THE COURTS.

Circuit Court convenes on the first Tuesday in April, 3rd Tuesday in June and 2nd Tuesday in October. County Court convenes on the 1st Tuesday in January, March, October and second Tuesday in July July is levy term.

## N. C. McNEEL,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.  
Marlinton, Wes Va.

Will practice in the Courts of Pocahontas and adjoining Counties, and in the Court of Appeals of the State of West Virginia.

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## D. O. J. CAMPBELL,

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Will visit Pocahontas County, at least twice a year.  
The exact date of his visits will appear in this paper.

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## Dust

Besides the vast amount of dust in this county, that is being figuratively, thrown into other people's eyes by some, according to averment, the roads have been dusty beyond the comprehension of any one who has not traveled on those roads. Fred Hainestock, the Yorkshire jockey, describes riding a race on the dusty track, when behind, "Has his somebuddy 'ad thrown his 'andful of dust in y' face," and it amounts to about that to the occupants of the hindmost carriage.

According to an ancient and honorable rule, a wedding calls for a procession of a dozen buggies or so, and they move with military precision at a breakneck speed. Hence in the weddings lately the dust has played a considerable part, when every body tried for the first place, knowing that the "dust would take the hindmost." One of a large party said he felt that he was "mortifying."

A sea faring man known as "Whiskers," has had a great experience, and he tells a story which has something to do with the subject. It was about a comrade named Bill Deadeye who was known as a most rapacious and ravenous eater. He had an "appetite to punta a moral or adoma tale." They had become becalmed in the Indian Ocean and had been put on short rations. They finally were enabled to land on an island which was inhabited by a heathen tribe.

Bill Deadeye procured a gun and went hunting, to get something to

eat. All that he could kill were some monkeys which he brought in with their legs tied together. Now the belief of that tribe was, that the souls of dead men were re-incarnated and became monkey, and the penalty for killing a monkey was death. The manner the sentence was carried into execution was to put the convict in the arena with a large bon-constrictor, which had been starved for some time.

Bill Deadeye was duly sentenced and the whole population assembled in the theater to see the execution. The arena was terribly dusty, and when the snake attacked Bill, a mighty dust arose, which got denser and denser, and the sound of the mighty struggle, was the only sign of what was going on. When the dust cleared away the snake was gone, but in the language of "Old Whiskers," "Bill was there!"

## Mr. Alderson.

Our Representative has recovered from the severe attack of sickness, which threatened to deprive him of the power to make the campaign, and is again at work. He started anew by speaking at McDowell last Saturday.

There is hope that he will be present at our October Court, Mr. Alderson, Mr. Preston, and Col. St. Clair are expected.

## David B. Hill.

David B. Hill has been nominated by the Democrats of New York for Governor. The Governorship of New York is probably the next honorable position to the Presidency of the United States, and it is considered an stepping stone to the Presidency. Hill is one of the greatest men of the nation, clear-headed, able to take either side, like a true lawyer, but if asked concerning his political honesty, Arden Ward would have "treated it as a commission, and given it up."

## Commissioner's Sale.

PURSUANT to decrees of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas county rendered on 6th day of April, 1894, and on the 22nd day of June, 1894, in the chancery cause of M. J. McNeel vs. Lanty W. Herold, and others, the undersigned Special Commissioners will proceed to sell on

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10th, 1894, in front of the court house door of Pocahontas county, at public auction, to the highest bidder, the one half undivided interest of the defendant, L. W. Herold, in 120 acres of land situate in Pocahontas county, on the waters of Knapp Creek, on the West side of the wagon road leading from Huntersville to Frost, being the same land conveyed to Lanty W. Herold and M. F. Herold by Andrew Herold by deed dated April 1st, 1876, (B. 1010 1-7 of the bill.) Also, 14 acres, or more, of land situate in the village of Frost, in this county, composed of two adjoining parcels, one of which is the residue of a tract of land conveyed to the said L. W. Herold by Charles P. Jones, Commissioner, by deed dated April 9, 1880, after conveying 2 acres to H. P. Herold by deed dated April 10, 1880. And the other parcel contains one acre, and the title was derived from the late J. B. Hannah. The 200 acres of land is mostly in bluegrass sod, is fertile and fine grazing land. The 14 acres of land in Frost has upon it a commodious dwelling house, together with all necessary outbuildings, and is admirably suited for hotel purposes.

TERMS OF SALE: Enough cash in hand to pay the costs of suit and expenses of sale, and the residue upon a credit of 6 and 12 months, the purchaser giving bonds with approved personal security, bearing interest at date, and a lien to be retained until all the purchase money is paid.

W. S. RUCKER, Special Commissioner, L. J. H. Patterson, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas county do certify that the Commissioners above have executed bond as required by law.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

## Commissioner's Sale of Land.

BY virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas county, in the chancery cause of Thomas C. Malcomb vs. John N. Wanless, the undersigned commissioner will offer for sale, at public auction, in front of the Court House in Marlinton, West Virginia, on

Tuesday, October 10th, 1894, a tract of land belonging to John N. Wanless supposed to contain about 303 ACRES,

lying in District No. 1 of Pocahontas county, West Virginia, being the same land conveyed by Andrew Wanless and wife to said John N. Wanless as containing by estimation 303 acres, by deed dated the 26th day of June, 1878, of record in the clerk's office of the County Court of said county, at page 54 of Deed Book No. 13, except 30 acres, more or less, on the South of said 303 acres, at a judicial sale confirmed by decree of said Court, at its April Term, 1893, in the chancery case of Matilda E. Wanless vs. John N. Wanless.

TERMS: Cash sufficient to pay the costs of suit and sale, and the residue of the purchase money falling due at 6 months from day of sale, the purchaser executing bond with good personal security for the deferred installment, and the title to be retained as ultimate security.

L. M. MCCLINTIC, Special Commissioner, State of West Virginia, County of Pocahontas, to wit: J. H. Patterson, Clerk of Circuit Court of the county above said, do certify that the above named Commissioner has given the bond required of him in the decree under which he is acting.

Given under my hand this 10th day of September, 1894.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

## COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF LAND.

PURSUANT to decrees of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas county West Virginia, rendered on the 17th day of October, 1893, and on the 19th day of June, 1894, in the consolidated chancery causes of Witz, Biedler & Co. vs. Herold & Moore, and Greer & Laing vs. Herold & Moore, the undersigned Special Commissioners will proceed, in front of the court-house of said county, on the 16th day of October, 1894, to sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder, the following lots or parcels of land.

First, an undivided one half interest owned by M. F. Herold jointly with J. L. Herold in 150 acres of land on Knapp's Creek, 50 1/2 acres on the waters of Knapp's Creek, 19 acres on Mill Run, and 316 acres on Alleghany Mountain. Also, an undivided one half interest with L. W. Herold in 120 acres on waters of Knapp's Creek.

Second, the one-half undivided interest of L. W. Herold up above mentioned 120 acres, and 132 acres owned by said L. W. Herold, on waters of Knapp's Creek.

Third, the one-half undivided interest of C. R. W. Rider in 80 acres and 95 acres on Knapp's Creek and 80 acres on Alleghany Mountain, and 71 acres and 130 poles owned by the said C. R. W. Rider near the town of Frost.

These lands lie principally in a body in the Knapp's Creek bottoms are well watered and in a high state of cultivation, and that part thereof which lies on the mountain sides is heavily timbered with pine and hard wood. The 95 — acre tract of the Rider land lies upon it a beautiful dwelling and convenient outbuildings, and the 120 acre tract of the Herold lands has also a fine dwelling beautifully situated, with barn and other outbuildings. The title to all these lands is considered good.

TERMS OF SALE: So much cash in hand as will pay the costs of suit and expenses of sale, and for the residue the purchaser will be required to execute bonds with good personal security, bearing interest from day of sale, and falling due in six, twelve, and eighteen months from said date. A lien will also be retained as ultimate security.

N. C. McNEEL, Special Commissioner, J. H. Patterson, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas county West Virginia, do hereby certify that bond, as required by law, has been filed with me by the above Special Commissioners.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

## Commissioner's sale.

PURSUANT to an order of the County Court of Pocahontas county, made on the 12th day of July, 1894, in the matter of the old court house and jail and the land upon which they are situated at Huntersville, in this county. The undersigned Special Commissioner will proceed to sell on

Tuesday, October 16, 1894, in front of the court house of Pocahontas county, at public auction, to the highest bidder, the old court house and jail and the lots on which they are located, known as the Old Court House and Jail Lot, situated at Huntersville, in Pocahontas county, reserving at said sale the use of said jail, and a right of way over said court house lot to said jail, until the new jail at Marlinton is finished and accepted by the County Court. Said lots and buildings would make a desirable location for an academy or high school.

TERMS OF SALE: Enough cash in hand to pay expenses of sale, and the residue upon a credit of 6, 12, and 18 months, the purchaser giving bond with approved personal security for the deferred payments, bearing interest from date, and a lien to be retained until all the purchase money is paid.

L. M. MCCLINTIC, Special Commissioner.

J. H. Patterson, Clerk of the County Court of Pocahontas county, do certify that the Commissioner above has executed bond as required by law.

J. H. Patterson, Clerk.

## Commissioner's Sale.

BY virtue of a decree entered in the Chancery Cause of R. S. Turk, Commissioner, vs. B. M. Yeager, et al., pending in the Circuit Court of Pocahontas county, West Virginia, at the April Term, 1894, of said court, the undersigned special commissioner, will proceed on Tuesday, the sixteenth day of October, 1894, in front of the Court House door of said county, to sell publicly, to the highest bidder, the following tracts of land, lying in said county, to wit: 40 acres lying on the West side of Buffalo mountain; 80 acres on said Buffalo mountain; 184 acres, and 14 acres, lying on Alleghany mountain; which formerly belonged to William G. Gilkeson, and lay close to or adjoining the old Yeager place on Alleghany mountain. There are some improvements on these lands which make them quite valuable.

TERMS OF SALE: A credit of six and twelve months will be given the purchaser, except as to so much cash in hand as will pay the costs of suit and sale; the purchaser to execute bonds for the deferred payments, bearing interest from date, with approved personal security, a lien to be retained until all the purchase money is paid.

For further information inquire of R. S. Turk, Staunton, Virginia.

R. S. TURK, Special Commissioner, State of WEST VIRGINIA, County of POCAHONTAS to wit: J. H. Patterson, Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county above said, do certify that the above named Commissioner has given the bond required of him in the decree under which he is acting.

Given under my hand this 10th day of September, 1894.

## Trustee's Sale of Land.

By virtue of a decree entered into by Isaac McNeel, trustee, by James W. Jordin and Fannie C. Jordin, his wife, dated on the 26th day of December, 1892, and recorded in the Clerk's office of the County Court of Pocahontas county, West Virginia, in Deed Book No. 23, page 296, to secure the payment of a certain bond, fully mentioned and described therein, and default having been made in the payment thereof and being required so to do by C. R. Moore, assignee of said bond, Isaac McNeel, will on the 16th day of October, 1894, commencing at 1 o'clock, P. M., at the front door of the court house of said Pocahontas county, West Virginia, proceed to sell, by way of public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, the property conveyed by said deed of trust or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said indebtedness. Said real estate lying and being in the county of Pocahontas, State of West Virginia, and in the Little Lewis district, and described therein as two tracts of land, one containing 48 acres, on which the grantors reside, excepting therefrom 2 acres thereof conveyed to Fenton A. Chapman by deed of record in the Clerk's office of the County Court of said county, at page 188 of Deed Book No. 23, by said grantors. Also, one acre conveyed by same to same by deed recorded in said Clerk's office at page 337 of Deed Book No. 22, and 3 acres conveyed by same to T. C. Woodfield, by deed recorded in said Clerk's office at page 162 of Deed Book No. 23, and the other tract conveyed containing 30 acres, both of which tracts of 48 acres and 30 acres being the same described in a deed of partition dated January 24th, 1878, and of record in said Clerk's office at page 23 of Deed Book 12.

Isaac McNEEL, Trustee.

N. C. McNEEL, Atty.

NOTICE!

All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the firm of R. E. Hunt, of Annapolis, West Virginia, will call and settle at once on their accounts with the firm of R. E. Hunt, of Annapolis, West Virginia, on or before the 10th day of September, 1894.

R. E. HUNT, Receiver.

# POCAHONTAS TIMES.

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## DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Congress,  
**JOHN D. ALDERSON,**  
Of Nicholas County.

For State Senate,  
**JOSEPH D. LOGAN,**  
Of Monroe County.

For House of Delegates,  
**DR. J. P. MOOMAU,**  
Of Green Bank.

For County Commissioner,  
**D. L. BARLOW,**  
Of Edray.

For County Superintendent of Free Schools,  
**D. L. BARLOW,**  
Of Edray.

BALTIMORE is the champion city in the national baseball league.

CORRETT seems to be unwilling to meet Fitzsimmons in a "joint" contest.

THE Chinese claim as much advantage in the late engagement as the Japanese. This is a very noticeable feature in this war, and, evidently, one or the other of the countries does not know when she is beaten.

HOS. WM. L. WILSON has been banqueted by the Chamber of Commerce of London. The event of the evening was his speech. The great leader is a favorite with all Englishmen, who regard our tariff laws with great aversion, as it prevents them applying the products of their own manufacture. The whole world knows of the superiority of English goods, so this tariff law is a horror if it enables a cheap, shoddy article of American manufacture, to be sold for as much as a vastly superior article of foreign manufacture.

THERE has never been an action in the history of the political affairs of the county, more to be commended than that of Mr. E. N. Moore's withdrawal from the race for the County Commissionership. The "Split" seemed actually to endanger the chances of Democratic success in this county this fall. It was no slight thing for Mr. Moore, with his magnificent following, to resolve to retire from the field, and disappoint his many friends, for the sake of harmony. The matter commenced in this way. In the June convention, the call was for a mass meeting to nominate candidates. With every district, except Green Bank, which is the farthest removed from the county seat, where the convention was held, not much importance was attached to the question whether each man's vote would count for the same, or whether the districts would cast an equal vote, or vote on the ratio of Democratic strength. A motion was made that the districts "retire and cast their votes," and it failed in being full enough to decide this question when the convention reconvened. As it happened, Green Bank district had turned out so well, some men having ridden forty miles to attend, that she cast an overwhelming vote. The debate on the manner of casting the vote, ended in the district confusion, and it suggested the feeling that the court-house affair had raised, and things were going from bad to worse, until Mr. Moore learned all differences by his withdrawal.

# HON. E. N. MOORE WITHDRAWS.

## A Hot Question Settled and True Democracy Illustrated.

A Difference Beginning with a Fight in the June Convention, over the Nomination of a Democratic Candidate for the County Commissionership, Amicably Adjusted, by Mr. Moore Nobly Giving Up His Chances of Election for the Good of the Party.

I wish to state through this paper that I am not a candidate for County Commissionership, and would say to my friends throughout the county that I appreciate their kindness, and trust placed in me; and hope it is not being misplaced, but I ask them not to petition for my name to be printed on ballots for election. Hoping that present differences may be a thing of the past, and that the Democratic organization may be perfected, I remain yours truly,  
E. N. MOORE.

At each successive robbery, the county finds itself more forcibly presented with a grave problem. How best to prevent these crimes, is the question? No one knows where the next outrage will be committed. The failure and impossibility to arrest and convict the burglars, is insensibly educating a certain class to have a contempt for the law and penalty, which is the only thing which holds them in check from committing any crime. It is not improbable that should a man be taken in the act of robbery that a most terrible example will be made of him. A few years back, in this county, and a lock was considered as an almost superfluous addition to a door; but now in certain neighborhoods, people who formerly never locked their doors, secure them as completely as if they lived in a city.

## A Good Programme.

"Say Uncle Ben, dog-gone it all, What you a-gwine to do this fall?"  
"See yeah, chile, dat's a rude disprention!"  
"Yo better remembah who yose adressin'!"  
"But I see kinder thinkin ob dat ter-night."  
"An' dis here ob' man'll come out al-right!"  
"I see got to hep Mistah Levi Gay Shuck out his co'n and crib hit away. But I done cleaned out dat rifle gun. An' one ob dese nights dere'll be some fun!"  
"I haist said whar, but in some co'n, I seed coon tracks, as sho as youse bo'n, An' I said right down, 'Well Mistah Coon,'"  
"Yo' jest wait till the nex' full moon, An' I'll interjace yo' to Mistah Maje, He's a noble coon dog (I fertig his age) But he'll yelp on yo' track and he'll make yo' hum."  
"An' yo' ill wish to de Lord yo' nevah come."  
"He'll put yo' up in de top ob a tree, An' den he will holler an' back fer me. He'll bristle an' scratch at de bark so rough."  
"Dat yo' ill think he's climbing dat tree, 'Shoo' siff!"  
"An' I'll ketch up, yep, by-a-by, An' see yo' laying argaint de sky, An' de gun'll crack, an' yo' ill come down."  
"An' yo' an' ol' Maje will hev a roun'—!"  
"But see yeah, chile, yo' got ter bed, An' den I'll tell what yo' Uncle said!"

## JURORS

List of Grand Jurors, drawn for the October Circuit Court:  
H. M. Moore, Jas. H. Gun, B. F. Moore, Samuel D. Bright, J. C. Price, Giles Sharp, Wm. H. Sharp, Uriah Bird, Wm. H. Clark, W. A. G. Sharp, R. C. Shreder, Wm. Horok, W. H. Auldridge, J. S. Smith, H. N. Clark, W. T. Board.

## FRUIT JURORS

Andrew Shoets, G. M. Ervine, W. J. Moore, Sam. H. Wadson, J. N. White, T. N. Patterson, Jacob D. Hughes, William Callahan, E. A. Mason, E. A. Fred, Barrett Grimes, J. B. Moore, W. A. Varner, Frank Kinnison, C. A. Lightner, John W. Tyler, John D. Gray, H. A. Rankin, Henry McCumb, George Gibson, George W. Wagner, E. E. Haggard, A. C. Moore, Richard Callahan, Kenneth Nottingham.

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### School Books.

The Board of Education of Edray District has bought a supply of the ordinary school books in use in the public schools of this State, for the purpose of supplying the demand at the contract retail price, for cash. Call at Moore & Hannah's, or on J. E. Barlow, Secretary, Edray, W. Va.

### Notice.

SEALED bids will be received until the 11th instant by the undersigned Ballot Commissioners of Pocahontas county, for the printing and delivering at the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of said county, on or before the 31st day of October, 1894.  
3000 Ballots for the ensuing November election, 120 Cards of Instructions to Voters, and 120 Sample Ballots.  
Said work to be done in accordance with Section 32, 34, and 44 of Chapter 89 of the Code of West Virginia.  
J. H. PATTERSON, Ballot Comm'rs.  
W. A. BRATTON, " "  
N. C. McNEIL, " "

### NOTICE OF ELECTION.

At a County Court held for the County of Pocahontas, at the court-house thereof, on Tuesday the 2nd day of October, 1894.

It appearing to the court that a vacancy exists in the office of Justice in the Edray District; two vacancies in the same office in the Green Bank district; and that a vacancy exists in the office of constable in the Edray district; and that two vacancies exist in the same office in the Levels District; that one vacancy exists in the same office in the Huntersville district; and that one vacancy exists in the same office in the Green Bank district, it is ordered that said vacancies in the offices aforesaid be filled at the general election to be held on the 6th day of November, 1894. And the Clerk of this Court is directed to publish notice of said election as prescribed by law.

A copy testee:

S. L. BROWN, Clerk.

### Trustee's Sale.

By virtue of a deed of trust executed by Jane Simmons, to Levi Gay, trustee, dated on the 29th day of October, 1892, and recorded in the Clerk's office of the county court of Pocahontas county, West Virginia, in Deed Book No. 28, page 441, to secure the payment of a certain bond numbered and fully ascribed thereto, payable to J. W. Gilmore, and default having been made in the payment thereof, and being required so to do by Regina R. Barlow, assignee of said bond, I, Levi Gay, will on the 3rd day of April, 1895, commencing at 1 p. m., at the front door of the court house of said Pocahontas county, West Virginia, proceed to sell, by way of public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the property conveyed by said deed of trust, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said indebtedness. Said real estate lying and being in the county of Pocahontas, State of West Virginia, on the waters of Laurel Creek, in Edray District, in said county, comprised of two certain tracts, one of sixty acres, more or less, being the homestead land on which said Jane Simmons resides, and another tract of forty acres, more or less, separate from said tract of sixty acres, and adjoining the lands of Samuel Baxter and David McClure, more fully described in a certain deed from the State of Virginia to Samuel W. Moore and Levi McCarty, dated on the 25th day of November, 1887, said deed or patent numbered 18081.

Said tracts of land comprise the farming lands of said Jane Simmons, a great part is improved, with house and outbuildings, making a very desirable farm. On the forty-acre tract is a heavy body of pine and other timber.

ANDREW PRICE, Attorney.  
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## Commissioner's sale of Land.

PURSUANT to a decree of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas county, pronounced at the April term, 1894, in the chancery cause of John A. Geiger vs. Wm. H. Sutton, etc., I will, on Tuesday, the 16th day of October, 1894, offer for sale by public auction, in front of the court house of said county, that tract of land lying on the West side of Greenbrier River, in the First District of said county, and known as the John W. Logan place, containing 363 acres, more or less, being the entire interest of said Sutton in said land.

Terms: One third of the purchase money cash in hand, and the residue in two equal payments, falling due in six and twelve months, respectively, from the day of sale, with interest from that day, the purchaser executing bond with good and approved personal security for the deferred payments, and a lien being retained as ultimate security.

CHARLES P. JONES, Commissioner.  
I certify that the bond required by said decree has been duly executed.  
J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

## Commissioner's Sale.

BY virtue of a decree entered on the twenty-first day of June, 1894, in the chancery cause of William Skeen's Administrator vs. John T. McGraw, and others, pending in the Circuit Court of Pocahontas county, West Virginia, the undersigned Special Commissioner will proceed on Tuesday, the 16th day of October, 1894, in front of the court house door of said county to sell publicly to the highest bidder, the following real estate situate in Pocahontas county, to-wit: 3000 acres of land lying on Knapp's Creek in said county, adjoining the lands of William Curry and others, formerly belonging to the estate of William Skeen, deceased. This land is covered with virgin forests of white oak, white pine, and other valuable timbers, and is also reported to have on it valuable iron ore. It lies along the bank of Knapp's Creek, in such a way that the lumber can be easily floated from it to market.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash in hand sufficient to pay costs of suit and sale will be required, and for the residue of the purchase money, bonds with approved personal security, falling due in six, twelve, and eighteen months from day of sale, with interest from date, a lien to be retained as ultimate security.

J. H. PATERSON, Special Comm'r.  
STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA,  
COUNTY OF POCAHONTAS: Wm. J. H. Patterson, Clerk of the

Circuit Court of the county aforesaid, do certify that the above named Commissioner has given the bond required of him in the decree under which he is acting. Given under my hand this 10th day of September, 1894.  
J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

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## To Tax Payers.

The undersigned Sheriff of Pocahontas county will be at the following named places and dates respectively for the purpose of collecting taxes for the 1894.

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| Marlinton    | Oct. 2nd & 3rd |
| Academy      | 4th & 5th      |
| Edray        | Oct. 6th       |
| Huntersville | 8th            |
| Frost        | 9th            |
| Danmore      | 10th           |
| Green Bank   | 11th           |
| Split Rock   | 12th           |

All parties meeting me at the above named places and on the dates named, and paying their taxes in full, will be allowed a discount of two and one half percent.  
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